



NPS NS/SIGS  
Security Studies (689)  
Stabilization and Reconstruction Track  
SUMMER START  
International\*

## Sample Course Sequence

The matrix below illustrates how students might put together quarter-to-quarter schedules that will in sum meet the requirements of the NSA Department and their curricular track. Courses colored green are NSA core requirements, and blue courses are curricular track requirements:

Summer	Fall	Winter	Spring	Summer
NS 3026 [4] <b>Introduction to Stabilization and Reconstruction</b>	NS3025 [4] Civil-Military Relations	NS 3042 [4] Economic Development for Security Building	MN 3118 [4] Strategies for Building Consensus	NS 4026 [4] <b>Capstone Seminar in Stabilization and Reconstruction</b>
NS 3023 [4] Comparative Politics	NS 3024 [4] International Relations	NS 4235 MDOOTW or NS 4236 Stability Operations	MN 4123 [4] Organizing & Planning in Complex Networks	Elective
Elective	Elective	NS 3001 [4] War and Its Impact On Post-Conflict Reconstruction	NS3900 International Law and Organization	Thesis Research
IT 1600* [2] Communication for Int'l Officers IT 1700* Writing for Int'l Students	Elective	Elective	Thesis Research	Thesis Research
	NS 2011 [2] Policy Analysis Research Methods	NS 4080 [2] Research Colloquium		
16*	16	16	12	8
Green: NSA Dept. Required Courses Blue: CSRS Required Courses Yellow: Electives White: Thesis Courses Purple: International Office Courses				Total Credits
Underline are new courses <b>Bold are name changes</b> *US Students take regional elective or NS core course in place of IT				72

### Summer Options: Regional

NS3330 Politics of the Middle East  
NS3510 Government and Politics of Latin America  
NS4904 Ethics across Cultures

### Fall Options: Curricular

NS4225 Civil-Military Relations in Transitions to Democracy  
SO3802 Guerrilla Warfare  
NS4880 Legal/Military Responses to Political Violence

### Winter Options: Curricular

SO3750 Anthropology of Conflict  
NS4XXX The Rule of Law in Post-Conflict Transitions

### Spring Options: Curricular

NS4332 Ethnic Conflict  
NS3900 Introduction to International Law  
NS4801 International Terrorism  
NS3030 US National Security Policy  
NS3260 Drug Control Strategy and Policy

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